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But One Wire Running Into The City And Loss Not Yet Known.

ATLANTA, GA., May 3.—The office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. was advised tonight that almost the entire business section of Jacksonville, Florida, and a large portion of the residence section has been destroyed by a fire, which broke out shortly after noon today in the factory of the Cleveland Fibre Co. At half-past ten o'clock, tonight, the fire was reported under control. Three hotels, theatre, and about six blocks were burned. It is impossible to give a reasonable estimate of the loss. It is said that five negroes were burned to death. The St. James and Windsor hotels were destroyed, and all long distance telephone wires were burned, but the Western Union has one wire into Jacksonville.

Later Account.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., May 4, 2.00 A. M.—Jacksonville experienced the most disastrous fire in her history, yesterday. Buildings the entire length of Beaver street, from Davis street to the creek on Liberty street have been totally destroyed. For the same distance, Ashleigh and Court streets have been completely blotted out. The conflagration burned over, as far as is definitely known, a territory two and one half miles long, by one half mile wide. The local military companies were called out to keep back the crowds.

The city building, the fire department building, the county court house, with the county records, the city jail, Catholic church and orphanage, St. John's Episcopal church and convent, and six hotels are among the buildings burned. Six lives are reported lost in the conflagration.

It is impossible to ascertain the losses, but it is said by the insurance agents that it will be between eight and nine millions.

At half past eight o'clock, last evening, the fire was checked at the intersection of Laurel and Bay streets, where the Commercial bank went up in flames. Many buildings were blown by up dynamite to stay the progess of the fire.

It was caused by a defective electric wire in the picker room of the Cleveland Fibre Co., and its rapid spread was due to the high wind which was blowing. The firemen were practically powerless. The mayor has called a meeting of the city councils for tomorrow, to consider ways and means of relieving the sufferers.

RUSSELL WAS EASY.

DENVER, COL., May. 3. — Tom Sharkey put out big Fred Russell, the California heavy weight, tonight, in the fourth round of what was to have been a ten round go, before the Colorado Athletic association. The fight was characterized by rough and tumble tactics, indulged in by both, science playing but little part.

LONDON IS GROWING.

LONDON, May 3.—The population of London, including the city of London, and twenty-eight metropolitan boroughs, the whole forming what is termed the Administrative County of London, is now 4,536,034, an increase of 308,717 since the last census in 1900.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Forecast for New England: Fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer Sunday; fresh northwesterly winds, diminishing.

Col. R. N. Elwell has returned from a fishing trip to Newfound lake, Bristol. He was accompanied by his 13-year-old son, who took the largest salmon from the lake this season.

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BASE BALL.

The following was the result of the base ball games played yesterday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston 1, New York 2; at Boston.

Pittsburg 10, Chicago 6; at Pittsburg.

Brooklyn 5, Philadelphia 1; at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia 9, Baltimore 4; at Philadelphia.

Detroit 6, Cleveland 3; at Detroit.

Washington 9, Boston 4; at Washington.

Milwaukee 3, Chicago 11; at Milwaukee.

EASTERN LEAGUE

Worcester 6, Syracuse 10; at Worcester.

Bradford 11, Providence 19, at Hartford.

Montreal 10, Rochester 4; at Montreal.

Toronto 5, Buffalo 8; at Toronto.

FOR ST. JOHN'S LODGE.

To Receive a Present From Deputy Sheriff Miles of Saco.

The Biddeford Journal of Friday evening says:

Among a lot of old papers which he recently received from Ferguson Haines of this city Deputy Sheriff James H. Miles of Saco has found a certificate of membership of Henry Dearborn, secretary of war in Jefferson's cabinet, to St. John's lodge, F. & A. M., of Portsmouth, N. H.

The certificate is in almost a faultless condition and on account of the prominence of the man, is of the greatest value. Dearborn was born in 1751 and died in 1829. He was a captain in the army at Bunker Hill and also served in some of the other important battles of the Revolution. He was in congress from 1793 to 1797 and from 1801 to 1809 was a member of Jefferson's cabinet as secretary of war. From 1822 to 1824 he was a minister to Portugal.

It is the intention of Deputy Sheriff Miles to present the certificate to St. John's lodge.

It is safe to say that the lodge would greatly appreciate the kindness of Mr. Miles. The document must be a most interesting one.

METHODIST CHURCH.

In connection with the preaching service tomorrow morning the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. The Sunday school will meet at noon and the Junior League at 3 30 o'clock. The Epworth League will meet at 6 o'clock and will be led by Mr. Hoehn, the Y. M. C. A. secretary, on the subject "Decision of Character." At 7.30 o'clock the pastor will preach a temperance sermon.

COLORED PEOPLE'S BALL.

The annual ball of the colored residents of Portsmouth was held in Rechabite hall, Friday evening, and was one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever conducted. The colored people turned out in full force, and the large crowd of pleasure seekers enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

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NEW HAVEN, CONN., May 3.—Guilty of murder in the second degree, was the verdict returned tonight, against Mrs. Ann Maria Rathbun, charged with killing her husband by poison, intended for another. The sentence is life imprisonment. It is charged that Mrs. Rathbun poisoned coffee with rough on rats intending that John S. Hart, a boarder with whom she had been intimate, but who had transferred his affections to another, should drink it.

PORTSMOUTH YACHT CLUB.

The regular monthly meeting of the Portsmouth Yacht club was held at the club house on Thursday evening, and was largely attended, Commodore Pope, Jr., occupying the chair. The resignation of Joseph Stackpole as treasurer of the club was received and accepted. Mr. Stackpole is shortly to leave Portsmouth, having secured a position in Hartford, Conn. Charles E. Woods was chosen treasurer to succeed Mr. Stackpole. A committee was appointed to make arrangements for the annual ladies' night, which will be held probably during the first week of June. After the business meeting, Chef Lear served steamed clams. Seven new members were voted in.

THE LAST STRETCH.

The last stretch of double track on the Eastern division of the Boston & Maine railroad is being laid by a large force of workmen, and at the rate that they are progressing, it will not be long before the job will be finished. This stretch between Salisbury and the state line is the last piece of track between Portland and Boston calling for double track.

LOCATED AT GREENACRE.

Conference School of Comparative Religion to Conduct Course of Study.

The Conference School of Comparative religion, located at Greenacre, Eliot, will begin its fifth annual session July 21, after a season's intermission. The school will be under the direction of Lewis G. Janes, M. A., of Brown university. Its object is the scientific study of philosophy and religion in their various forms and a consideration of the history of the religions of the world, from the earliest times to the present day. In the language of the circular issued by the school, its "aims are constructive rather than merely critical."

Greenacre has long been famous for its connection with the higher branches of education, and more especially with all lines of religious thought, and the School of Comparative Religion furnishes opportunities for study along characteristic Greenacre lines. It is intended to place the school on a permanent basis so that its work may be continued without further interruption.

The advisory board is made up of forty-one well-known men and women, and the list of lecturers includes well-known religious instructors from all parts of the world. Christianity in its various forms, and all other modern religons, as well as the most important religions of the ancient world, will be thoroughly considered in their historical connections, and their ritualistic ceremonies will be fully described and explained.

The course of study is entirely non-sectarian in its influences, and no "propaganda of any special views will be attempted."

SPORTING NOTES.

Bowdoin is very evidently no match for Dartmouth in athletics.

A number of old timers will play in the New England league this season.

Detroit is now leading in the American league, and Cincinnati heads the list in the National.

Manchester base ball cranks are discussing the advisability of trying to enter a team from their city in the Eastern league, next year.

The Somersworth Free Press wants to see a semi-professional league organized, including Somersworth, Dover, East Rochester, Portsmouth, and possibly Rochester and South Berwick, in its circuit.

Johnny Reiff, the diminutive American jockey, won two firsts and a second at the race meeting at Newmarket, England, Thursday. Buchanan, another American, rode the winning horse, in the Ely plate race for two year olds, at the same meeting.

The baseball team of Wesleyan university has lost the services of Captain Lufkin, who is one of the best pitchers a Wesleyan team ever had. Lufkin has been convicted of serious infringement of the amateur rules, and has been dropped from the team by the faculty.

Augusta has been chosen for the New England league circuit, in place of Dover. It is probable that most of the men signed for the Dover team will go to Augusta. If this proves to be the case, the cranks down in Maine will see a number of Portsmouth players this year. The championship games of the league will begin May 15.

George Magoon, the famous East Rochester ball player, who is with the Cincinnati team of the National league, was put out of the game at St. Louis, Wednesday, having gained the doubtful distinction of being the first man thus treated this season. This is a new experience for George, who has always been reckoned one of the most gentlemanly players in the country.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address,

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The Comedy of Errors.
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Love's Labor Lost.
Midsummer Night's Dream.

April 15. Vol. III.
The Merchant of Venice.
As You Like It.
The Taming of the Shrew.
All's Well that Ends Well.

April 18. Vol. IV.
Twelfth Night; or, What You Will.
A Winter's Tale
Life & Death of King John.

April 22. Vol. V.
Tragedy of King Richard II.
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April 25. Vol. VI.
Life of King Henry V.
First Part of King Henry VI.
2d Part of King Henry VI.

April 29. Vol. VII.
3d Part of King Henry VI.
Tragedy of King Richard III
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May 2. Vol. VIII.
Troilus and Cressida.
Coriolanus.
Titus Andronicus.

May 6. Vol. IX.
Romeo and Juliet.
Timon of Athens.
Julius Cæsar.

May 9. Vol. X.
Macbeth.
Hamlet, Prince of Denmark.
King Lear.

May 13. Vol. XI.
Othello, the Moor of Venice.
Anthony and Cleopatra.
Cymbeline.

May 16. Vol. XII.
Pericles.
Poems.

May 20. Vol. XIII.
Glossary.
Concordance
Index to Characters, Etc.

The Plan.

The riddle of the sphinx has been solved The greater riddle that is now agitating the literary world, "Did Shakespeare write the plays credited to him?" may never be. But it will not be for want of investigation. In the past year over a thousand Shakespearian Clubs have been organized to study the discoveries recently made to the Cipher on the Tombstone" and the Cipher in the Plays themselves. The members want the text in the Cambridge edition, at a price that is not practically prohibitive, and in response to their demand twenty-five of the most prominent newspapers have united to print such an edition, for their subscribers and readers only, in handy pocket size, thirteen volumes, with the celebrated "Notes" by Israel Gollancz. By making an edition of 50,000 sets, the first or manufacturing cost of each volume has been so reduced that a handsome cloth-bound volume can be produced for 20 cents. This is less than one-fifth the cost of any similar edition. The special Shakespeare Club edition will be limited to members of the Clubs and Newspapers only, and The CHRONICLE and HERALD will control all that are taken in Portsmouth.

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The Text, Notes and Index

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The Style of Manufacture.

The thirteen volumes are gems of the printer's and book-binder's art. The paper, press-work and binding are of the very best. The type on each page is six inches long by three inches wide, in long primer, and there are 4,000 pages of this size. These make thirteen bound volumes, four inches wide by seven inches long, of about 300 pages each, including an index volume of 320 pages. Handsome illustrations are frontispieces to the volumes.

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The Latest Morgan Story From Athens, O.

Columbus, O., May 3.—A special from Athens, O., says that [illegible] seems indisputable [illegible] information that almost the entire [illegible] industry of the Hocking and Sunday Creek valleys will [illegible] the management of the gigantic combination of capital of which J. P. Morgan is the head.

According to the information, it is the intention of the syndicate to get control of all the mines now in operation and to secure as many acres as possible of undeveloped coal lands. This deal will practically include all the coal lands and mines in the three counties of Athens, Perry and Hocking.

Conservatively estimating the amount of the deal, it can be approximately placed at from $7,000,000 to $10,000,000. The total daily capacity of all the mines in the three counties is conservatively placed at 30,000 tons. It may be considerably more, and it is certain that the capacity is not less.

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Woman Killed in a Runaway.

Newburg, N. Y., May 3. Mrs. Hermon Paul of Woodbury was thrown from a wagon in a runaway and killed. Her head struck a tree, and her skull was fractured.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

Robinson Bros.' glove mill was destroyed by fire at Gloversville, N. Y. Loss, $125,000.

The strike of the American Cigar [illegible]

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UNKNOWN CANADA.

Over One-third of Dominion Is Yet Unexplored.

Washington, May 3.—The director of the geological survey of Canada in his last report makes the amazing statement that practically nothing is known of one-third of the Dominion. So states United States Consul Seyfert at Stratford in a report to the state department. It is shown that more than 1,125,000 square miles of Canadian territory is yet unexplored. This includes the inhospitable detached arctic portions, but aside from these fully 954,000 square miles are for all practical purposes entirely unknown.

The easterly area contains the greatest extent of unexplored territory. It comprises almost the entire interior of the Labrador peninsula, or Northwest Territories, in all 289,000 square miles, or more than twice the size of Great Britain and Ireland. The indications are, says Consul Seyfert, that during the next five years at least 5,000 miles of new railroad will be completed throughout the Dominion, most of which will run through the unexplored wilderness, as it is recognized that railroads are primarily essential to the opening up of this vast territory. The mineral wealth of this region is said to be undoubtedly immense.

Purifying Kansas Politics.

Topeka, May 3.—Mrs. Nation's crusade against the saloons has resulted in a movement to purify Kansas politics which promises to be more farreaching than anything of the kind ever before attempted in the Sunflower State. A permanent organization of the grand chapter of the Law Enforcement League of Kansas has been effected, whose object is to purify the politics of the state and to promote its interests. The league is to be thoroughly organized by the establishment in every city, town or hamlet in the state of a local chapter.

Originator of Gold Brick Game Dead.

Chicago, May 3.—Van B. Triplet, inventor of the gold brick, who is said to have swindled people out of $1,000,000 by different kinds of confidence games, has died at West Baden in poverty. Money is now being raised by his friends to give him decent burial. Triplet, who was also known as John V. Tripp and Old Tripp, was well known by the police in Chicago. He was born in Virginia 60 years ago and came of good family. He began a life of crime when he was young and for more than 40 years had been pitted against the police.

General Robert to Be Married.

New York, May 3.—Brigadier General Henry M. Robert, who has retired from his position as chief of the engineer corps and from the army, will be married on May 8 at Owego to Miss Isabelle Livingston Hoagland, daughter of Mrs. Christina Hoagland of that place. After the marriage the couple will go to Cuba and later will take a trip to Alaska, returning about Aug. 1. General Robert expects for a time to make his home in Haworth, N. J., where he has been living with his daughters by a former marriage.

Governor Voorhees Better.

Elizabeth, N. J., May 3.—Governor Foster Voorhees continues to improve, and his brother, Dr. Voorhees, who is attending him, said last night that his brother was convalescent, but is still weak and will remain in bed for a couple of days longer, not because he is unable to be up, but because in his (the doctor's) opinion it was better for the governor to rest.

No Third Term, Says Hanna.

New York, May 3.—Senator Hanna, at the Waldorf-Astoria, yesterday denounced as rubbish a story that President McKinley would be a candidate for a third term. "It is ridiculous, I am sure the president never thought of it."

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Colonel Dravo's Good [illegible]

New York, May 3.—A dispatch from Phenix, A. T., was received in this city yesterday announcing the discovery of a ledge of gold rock on the claim of Lieutenant Colonel Edward E. Dravo chief of the commissary department of the east, which promises to assay from $20 to $220 a ton. The ledge is near Gold Hill, where gold was found in large quantities more than 25 years ago. Lieutenant Colonel Dravo, who is stationed at Governors Island, said yesterday that he had staked out the claim in 1877, when he was stationed in Arizona, and had been working it at intervals since.

Cabinet Crisis In Japan.

Yokohama, May 3.—In consequence of the continued postponement by the Japanese minister of finance, Viscount Watanabe, of the carrying out of the expected public works the cabinet crisis reached a climax Wednesday, and Marquis Ito, the premier, after the cabinet meeting proceeded to the palace and tendered his resignation to the mikado. All the other members of the cabinet did likewise, with the exception of the minister of war, Baron Kodama.

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Negro Murderers Found Dead.

Selma, Ala., May 3. Three negroes were found dead near a cabin in which Deputy Sheriff Edwards was killed Sunday night ten miles south of Selma. They are supposed to have been implicated in the murder of Edwards. The negroes are terrorized and fleeing to this city. There is no clew as to who did the shooting.

New Danger From Broken Bottles.

[illegible] prairie grass.

Corn at 55 Cents.

Chicago, May 3.—Under a tension which stirred traders May corn yesterday shot up to the 55 cent mark, and George E. Phillips, the master of the situation, is now talking 75 cent corn. On the floor of the board of trade it was a day of excitement, and the corn pit surged a mass of [illegible] spiring and [illegible] Phillips, the cause of it [illegible] background. While corn was at its highest he took time to let a lot of the minor shorts settle at the market price.

Reclassing Postoffices.

Washington, May 3.—The postoffice department is engaged in a revision of the list of presidential postoffices to determine reclassification and additional salary allowances. The first announcement [illegible] will be made on next Monday, [illegible] will follow at brief intervals. It is the intention of the department to make announcements of the changes as fast as determined upon [illegible]

[illegible] Loans.

[illegible] amounting to 500,000,000 [illegible] that another Russian loan is [illegible] with English and American bankers in London. The dispatch further says that the czar is planning [illegible] during next August and that he will visit Copenhagen, Darmstadt and Vienna.

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Ferry leaves Portsmouth, Kittery, Kittery Point, Sea Point—6 55, 7 25, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 25, 9 55, 10 25, 10 55, 11 25, 11 55 a. m., 12 25, 12 55, 1 25, 1 55, 2 25, 2 55, 3 25, 3 55, 4 25, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 25, 7 55, 8 25, 8 55, 9 25, 9 55, 10 25, 10 55 p. m.

For York Corner, York Village, York Harbor and York Beach—6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 9 55, 10 55, 11 55 a. m.; 12 55, 1 55, 2 55, 3 55, 4 55, 5 55, 7 55, 9 55 p. m.

Car leaves Sea Point for Portsmouth—6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 00, 11 30, a. m., 12 m., 12 30, 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 30, 5 00, 5 30, 6 00, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 30, p. m.

Car leaves York Beach for Portsmouth—5 45, 6 30, 7 30, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30, a. m.; 12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 9 30, p. m.

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THE BETTER WAY.

AN ARMY OF WEALTH CREATORS VERSUS AN ARMY OF DESTRUCTION.

Conquest of Arid Plains Preferable to Wars of Exploitation—How the Government Can Furnish Work to the Unemployed.

B. O. Flower, editor of The Arena, sent a letter presenting the question, "An Army of Wealth Creators Versus an Army of Destruction," to half a dozen well known reformers and solicited replies from them on the subject. In the May Arena the responses are published, preceded by Mr. Flower's communication. Aside from the ethical phases of the war of conquest in the Philippines Mr. Flower asked his correspondents to look at the problem "from the viewpoint of business success and political security. Are there not ways open at our door by which for an incomparably less outlay than the cost of prosecuting this war of conquest the government might increase her wealth products and vastly enrich her people without the destruction of life or the surrender of the fundamental principles enunciated by our Declaration of Independence, which for more than a century made the United States the great leader of free governments and the chief source of inspiration to struggling manhood throughout civilization? Furthermore, if it can be shown to be clearly practical to establish an army of wealth creators, which, while virtually banishing uninvited poverty from our land, shall promote self respecting manhood and enable tens of thousands of our citizens to secure homes and independence, will it not be the imperative duty of every patriotic citizen to agitate and in every way possible further a movement looking toward changing our army of destruction into a wealth creating army of constructive usefulness?

"Within the borders of our own domain there are virgin fields of vast extent, only awaiting the aid of government directed industry in order to yield riches far exceeding any possible return that we can reasonably hope for from commerce that may come as a result of our war of conquest in the east, and the calling into the market of this wealth will result in giving work to the unemployed, thus maintaining self respecting manhood, one of the supreme essentials of free government, fostering love for the nation and bringing content and happiness into the hearts of hundreds of thousands of our people. And while this is being accomplished manhood will be elevated and the nobler side of life developed instead of the savage or brutal instincts being fostered, as is inevitably the case in a war for conquest. Furthermore, the immense benefit to general business, which always accompanies the extensive circulation of money among large numbers of the people and which has been so real a factor in stimulating business during and immediately after periods of war, will be accomplished without the sacrifice of thousands of ablebodied wealth creators. In a word, the prosperity that will ensue from the increased activity will not be accompanied by the shadow of death resting over the homes of the land or by the spoliation of the nation through the destruction of thousands of its bravest citizens.

"In the great arid plains east of the Rocky mountains and in many of the western mountain states there are millions upon millions of acres of immensely rich land which under irrigation would almost instantly blossom into gardens, orchards and fields of wheat and grain, but which today are dry, parched desert expanses. Take, for example, the state of Nevada. Here we have 6,000,000 acres of arid land that by proper irrigation can be made as fruitful as the productive regions of California, Colorado and Utah. * * *

"Again, take the question of a permanent levee for the Mississippi river. 'There are,' says ex-Governor Lionel Sheldon, 'over 23,000,000 acres exposed to overflow from the mouth of the Ohio to the gulf of Mexico. The productive power of these lands is not excelled in any part of the world, and by proper cultivation they would annually add many hundreds of millions of dollars to the national wealth and afford profitable employment for several hundreds of thousands of people.'

"Eminent engineers who have examined the levees under the auspices of the Mississippi river commission agree that the problem can be successfully solved if a sufficient amount is appropriated for so gigantic an undertaking, which would require substantial uniformity in the width of the channel of the river by building spurs and dikes at points where the Mississippi is too wide, the proper riveting of the banks wherever caving is likely to occur, together with the building of permanent levees of a height and strength sufficient to confine the waters of the channel. It is stated that since 1865 the cost of repairs has amounted to considerably over $40,000,000; yet, owing to the fact that this work is of a temporary character, the benefits that would be derived from a permanent levee are lost, and every few years the floods necessitate fresh expenditures of vast sums of money."

Professor Frank Parsons of Boston University School of Law, in his reply to Mr. Flower, gives emphatic indorsement to the proposal that the government's millions and men can be more profitably employed as suggested in the foregoing than in war upon Filipinos or any like people for the purpose of enlarging "our trade." Professor Parsons closes his contribution thus:

"Such a plan would not accomplish all that needs to be done by any means, but every student of history knows that progress is a growth and the oak cannot grow in a day. Thorough education, co-operative industry, public ownership, direct legislation, just taxation, equal opportunity and fair diffusion of wealth, industrial and political democracy, human brotherhood, the sovereignty of love and devotion as the dominant ideal—those are the things the world is in deepest need of. But we cannot get them by any magic of sudden transformation. We must climb the mountain a step at a time, and every step away from war and barbarism, conflict, mastery, greed and oppression toward peace and liberty and justice, mutual help and the elevation of labor is a step toward the grand brotherhood of man the twentieth century ought to evolve, and every step in the opposite direction is a step backward toward primeval savagery and the tiger epoch in man's history or the still lower level of organized intelligence under the dominion of brutish instincts."

Rev. Hiram Vrooman of Boston accepts Mr. Flower's views as a general proposition and goes on to a suggestion for their application by proposing as a method a co-operative commonwealth in Nevada, established and supported by the government until it became self supporting.

"The establishment by the government of a small co-operative commonwealth in Nevada is a plain business proposition. The government could accomplish it with no injustice to any existing business interests and with no possible risk of financial loss, provided it took proper precautions against the thieving of corrupt politicians. This undertaking would necessitate the government's advancing certain capital sufficient to cover the necessary first investments. That portion of the land which the government does not already own would have to be purchased. The first equipment of machinery, outfits and temporary wages for the support of the workers would cover most of the needed outlay of capital. For this the government could amply secure itself by taking low interest bearing bonds upon the 6,000,000 acres of land and its future improvements sufficient to cover the entire outlay.

"A picture as beautiful as Bellamy's 'Looking Backward' might be drawn from reality rather than from a seer's vision of a future Utopia were this army of wealth producers now waging its industrial warfare in Nevada under proper generalship for the establishment of this proposed co-operative commonwealth."

Thomas E. Will, formerly president of Kansas Agricultural college, now of Ruskin college at Trenton, Mo., wrote:

"As a measure of practical politics such a step should prove to be wisdom itself. The first duty of government is to care for the people—to see that each is provided with the opportunity for useful labor, rational development and the living of a complete life. The party so long dominant in America has maintained its grip largely by its nominal observance of this principle. Its 'protective' policy, which, had its real workings been understood, should have proved a millstone about its neck, has been to it instead a tower of strength, because the people have believed that it 'made work' for them and secured to them the opportunity to earn a living. * * *

"And thus multitudes of men will continue to vote, for their 'job' is their life. Suppose, now, a political party actually in sympathy with the people should boldly announce the policy of directly furnishing employment at good pay and reasonable hours to competent workers, the money for this purpose to be raised by taxing not the poor, who now bear the burden of taxation, but the rich, who now evade it—the corporations, the trusts and the estates of dead millionaires. What politics could be more practical? Upon what surer foundation could a party build its claim for power? And what policy would be more beneficent in its operations?"

Rev. Robert E. Bisbee of East Pepperell, Mass., agrees that it would be better to spend money in irrigating arid lands in preference to employing our millions in foreign conquest and wars of exploitation, but "the trouble is somewhere else and deeper. It lies in the monopoly of the tools of labor. I mean all kinds of labor, including transportation as well as production. If the present private monopolistic system is allowed to exist, to irrigate arid lands would be at best but a temporary measure of relief. In a few years the people would be as helpless as ever. We may as well fight the battle for human rights here and now as to postpone the evil day. The burning question of the hour is how to secure for the laborer a just return for his toil—how to render him an equitable share in the products of his hand and brain. If the man who earns seven pairs of shoes a day receives only wages enough to buy one pair, the question is how to order things so that he may secure the other six pairs or their equivalent. This is the problem of justice which it is the duty of government to solve, and until it is solved all other questions sink into comparative insignificance. The solution of this question will involve the solution of others. It includes the problem of the unemployed."

Law Violated.

The continued violation of the alien contract labor law and the unjust decisions that have been rendered in the courts are attracting the attention of labor organizations. Something must be done to remedy the defects of the law and also to bring to justice the violators of the law in the different states. At the Louisville convention of the American Federation of Labor a resolution was adopted instructing the executive committee to investigate the matter and have the law amended, and the federation will no doubt take the matter up for consideration when it meets in Washington in its annual convention.

A NEW CONCEPTION.

The Labor Movement as It Used to Be and as It Is Now.

If report be true of what comes to us from Mr. George H. Warner of the International Association of Machinists in his address before the Hartford mass meeting of machinists, the cause of organized labor must now be resting upon a very different basis from that usually considered as its resting ground in the past—in fact, on a basis diametrically opposite to the general conception of its old time friends and advocates.

The labor movement used to be considered a movement in the interest of humanity in general, based on the eternal principles of right and justice between man and man. But according to the pronouncement of Mr. Warner the ethics of the hog trough must now be considered as the guiding star of its destiny. Here are his words, in substance, if correctly reported: "The trusts are all right. Every machinist present would have a trust himself if he had the ability. The machinists propose to have a little trust of their own."

So the great labor movement—if this be a correct delineation—has abandoned its high plane of moral philosophy in seeking for that of which it claimed to be wrongfully denied and degenerates to the logic of might makes right. "The trust is all right" because it combines to get all it can for as little as it may give in return, regardless of how the resolve may affect the body and soul of others. And the machinists must combine to do the same, of course. Yet the old time industrial reformer always labored under the impression that the trade union came into existence designed more as a force to resist unrighteous aggression and oppression than to become a like competing force itself.

However, as a practical man in the movement and sent out as an official instructor of others, Mr. Warner ought to know more of the subject than the mere theorist, and, knowing so, doubtless reasons from the basis of things as he finds them rather than from any conception of what they might have been or ought to be. And certainly the conduct of the great majority of the organized as well as the unorganized laborers of the country seem to bear out the correctness of Mr. Warner's view of the case from the well known fact of those laborers never being found in sympathetic co-operation with broad minded men and women working for the advancement of humanity in general nor even manifesting the least interest in the outcome of their efforts.—Hartford Examiner.

Ingratitude Toward Leaders.

Reviewing the immediate past, few labor leaders can be pointed out who were not sooner or later turned down by the men in whose interest they had worked. Perhaps, after years of usefulness and good work, some trivial mistake will be made and then everything else is forgotten and the very leader who perfected the organization he may be at the head of is the first to suffer from its power.

Eugene V. Debs is an example of the truth of this statement. He endured everything for suffering workingmen, and yet the very people he sought to benefit—the Pullman (Ills.) workmen—were the first to condemn him for acts committed for their benefit.

Poor dead Martin Irons may be cited as another example of the ingratitude of fellow workmen toward one who seeks to benefit and aid them. Irons was successful as a leader and organizer, but he made a mistake and failed to win a strike, after which his influence began to simmer away, and at the time of his death Martin Irons was an outcast and was shunned by the men he had worked the hardest for.

Terence V. Powderly, who is now practicing law before a United States court in Washington and who also holds the position of United States commissioner of immigration, succeeded in spite of the hard fight made on him by union men all over the country. And yet the ideas and plans of Powderly are evident in every labor union of the land.

John McBride, James R. Sovereign and many others could be cited to prove that labor leaders seldom succeed in pleasing everybody all the time, and therefore are crucified by those they most benefit. Men of ideas and opinions, men who have the courage of their convictions and who refuse to be the pliant tools of corporation influence or the willing supporters of gang rule, are not appreciated by the union workingmen of America as they should be, nor are they honored in a measure commensurate with their worth.

But workingmen are thinking and may be able to some day figure out the injustice of dragging down a man who dares to think and act along lines he believes to be correct.—Charles W. Fear in Omaha News.

Big Strike Likely in France.

United States Consul Brunot, at St. Etienne, France, reports to the department of state that a strike by the coal miners, planned to be general and to include all the mines in France, is scheduled to take place about the end of June unless terms are agreed upon before that date, which seems improbable. He says:

"Should the proposed strike actually take place there is likelihood that other trades will join the movement. Iron workers, furnace men and machinists are already considering whether this may not be the most opportune moment for presenting their grievances, seeing that if the miners strike they also will be thrown out of employment by reason of the scarcity of fuel. The silk and velvet ribbon weavers are also discussing the propriety of striking at the same time, but no final decision has yet been reached."

VITAL STATISTICS OF PORTSMOUTH

For the moth of March, 1901 as recorded by City Clerk William E Peirce from returns made in accordance with the statute law:

BIRTHS.

Date.	Child to
1st,	Joseph and Ida Miner, daughter, Bertha Agnes.
2d,	Allison L. and Hattie A. Prescott, son.
8th,	Angus and Minnie McInnis, son.
9th,	Albert C. and Annie L. Reed, daughter.
11th,	S. Houston and Ella F. Spinney, son.
13th,	Cornelius and Susie M. Robinson, son.
14th,	Frank W. and Mary M. Tucker, son.
15th,	Clarence E. and Helen V. Hoyt, daughter.
16th,	Allen J. and Alice May Ramsdell, son, Charles Allen.
17th,	Raymond and Lillian Packard, daughter, Elinor Charlotte.
19th,	Frank R. and Effie G. Pickering, daughter.
20th,	Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Kimball, daughter, Blanche Maude.
20th,	George J. and Mary W. Davis, daughter.
23d,	Fred W. and Ella Manson, son.
24th,	Maurice and Maggie O'Leary, daughter, Helena.

MARRIAGES.

Date.	
2d,	Oscar Pohle and Martha Holloway, both of Portland, Me.
6th,	William Allen and Annie Kyte, both of Portland, Me.
9th,	Thomas Lody of Gloucester, Mass., and Etta E. Cragin of East Deering, Me.
23d,	Jesse Cary Bridges of York, Me., and Sadie Kerr of Windsor, N. S.
26th,	John Beaton and Mary F. Bolton, both of Bath, Me.
27th,	Charles F. Archer of Somerville, Mass., and Alice Faith Rugg of New Haven, Conn.
28th,	Warren Henry Carr of Bath, Me., and Agnes M. Sprott of Newport, N. S.
29th,	William H. Burns, Jr., and Annie J. Fitzpatrick, both of Portland, Me.

DEATHS.

Burial permits were issued by the city clerk during the month as follows, the date given in each case being that of the issue of the permit; where the death occurred in another city, the name of the place is given:

Date	Name.	yrs.	mos	days
2d,	Alfred G. Maddock,	92	9	22
2d,	Mary Ann Fowler,	61	6	13
5th,	James W. Sowersby,	71	11	21
9th,	Diamond E. Varrell,		8	29
10th,	Joseph Costano, Kittery, Me.,	16		
11th,	Edward Daley, Kittery, Me.,		1	11
12th,	Jane Rider,	88	11	12
13th,	Margaret Long,	96	9	
15th,	George W. Davis,	67	8	14
15th,	Thomas D. Wardwell,		8	11
17th,	Catherine Holland,	80		
17th,	Nancy D. Wingate,	79	9	1
19th,	George S. Obrey,	3	8	10
19th,	Mary A. Locke,	95	6	21
19th,	Timothy Crowley,	67	2	25
20th,	Margaret Ellen Smith,	78		
21st,	Sarah Locke,	64	9	7
23th,	Augusta Eden Ayers,	59	6	26
23d,	John Carroll,		1	7
27th,	Mary W. White,	72		
27th,	John O'Brian, Stowe, Mass.,	80		
27th,	Joseph Wallace Adams,	2	10	27
28th,	Florella L. Lear,	42	1	7
29th,	Thomas Rees, Somerville, Mass.,	68	3	18
30th,	Moses Leighton,	69	5	2
31st,	Florence Augusta Olsson,	46	11	7

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William H. Hanson, of Salem, in the County of Rockingham and State of New Hampshire, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 23d day of March, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property, and rights of property and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 29th day of April, A. D. 1901.

WILLIAM H. HANSON, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

District of New Hampshire, ss.

On this 2d day of May, A. D., 1901, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the fourteenth day of May, A. D., 1901, before said court at Concord in said District, at ten o'clock A. M., and that notice thereof be published in the Portsmouth Herald, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors notices of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Edgar Aldrich, judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Concord, in said District, on the 2d day of May, A. D., 1901.

FRANK S. HOLMAN, Clerk.

(Seal of the court.)

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Missing Man's Body Found.

New York, May 3.—After William N. Pooley, who disappeared from his home in Sag Harbor, N. Y., two months ago, had been sought on two continents his body was found in the Harlem river Wednesday night. It was neatly clad, and black kid gloves were on the hands. After Pooley's disappearance a general alarm was sent out, and his wife wrote to her sister in Liverpool asking if he had gone there, but received a negative reply. How the body came to be in the river is a mystery which has not been solved.

Ocean Cable Broken.

Halifax, May 3.—A break in one of the Western Union company's transatlantic cables has occurred about 600 miles from the Grand Banks, and the cable steamship Minia has sailed to effect repairs. The water is nearly three miles deep where the broken cable lies. It will take the Minia nearly six hours to haul the broken cable to the surface. The extension of the Halifax and Bermudas Cable company to Jamaica near its southern end lies in water four miles deep.

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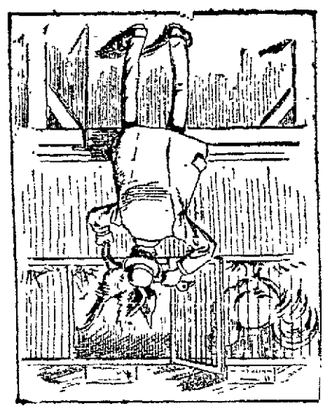

2. Ed. (the sport)—But I'll have to let my game interview the leghorn first.

3. That's enough, my boy.

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Farmer Grasstosser—There hez bin foul play here, by gosh!

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Kin feel de current swish,
An nebber mind de world at all;
Da's what I wish.

I wish dat I could jes' take root
In some warm spot an grow
An nebber hab to worry none
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I wouldn't be no fancy palm
A-standin in a dish;
I wish dat I was growin wild;
Da's what I wish.

—Washington Star.

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Some of these days in May are perhaps rare, but the wind is "raw."

The president must have been convinced that there is no rusty buckle on the cotton belt.

It is possible that there are people who would prefer to have the president travel in a one horse shay with a basket of sandwiches in order to keep up the old traditional republican simplicity.—Boston Transcript.

Chicago boasts of gamecocks which give warnings of a fire by shrilly crowing. The Boston Transcript says that there are some in the suburbs of Boston that crow the number of the box. Portsmouth's old crowers can do all that and more, by sounding a second alarm.

It is announced in a Washington dispatch that the American hydrographic service is being recognized as one of the most complete in the world. This is shown by the great number of inquiries which have recently been received from foreign navies by Captain C. C. Todd, chief hydrographer of the navy, and attest to the remarkable prestige this branch of our naval service has gained abroad. Our hydrographic service is conceded to be more advanced and complete than that of any other navy in the world and foreign navies are endeavoring to emulate the example set by our own advance in this line. Requests for information on various points come from practically all of the European nations, and all proper information is given without reserve.

These are gloomy days for the British newspapers. What they print seems full of alarm and discouragement. The war taxes, increased now to a positive burden, seem to make the people realize that the future of the empire is far from being what it ought to be. The newspapers are now frightened at the American combinations of capital. The London Telegraph thinks they are unalterable. It says the only thing that remains is to learn how to combat them. It thinks the only way is the formation of similar gigantic syndicates there. Legislation, it says, can do nothing. The battle must be fought on broad, economic lines. It would be futile to think of bolstering a bad cause by protective duties, subsidies and such expedients. It admits that there are certain discouraging points in the British position, not the least of which is the labor question, while the United States has many natural and other advantages. The Englishman, in its view, will have to put more energy and more brains into his work and rid himself of a false sense of security. But will he do it?

All efforts of the Boer representatives to stop further shipments of horses and mules and munitions of war from American ports to South Africa for the use of the British army have been useless. General Pearson, a former officer in the Boer army, recently petitioned the federal courts at New Orleans to enjoin these shipments on the ground that the use of the port at New Orleans for that purpose was in violation of the laws of neutrality. The court refused to consider the petition on the ground of lack of jurisdiction. The petition was referred to the state department. The policy of the government on this question is already well established. It is held by the authorities that the sale of horses and mules and munitions of war by citizens of the United States to belligerents is permissable, although the articles may be classed as contraband of war. The purchaser assumes all risk of seizure on the high seas, to which contraband goods are subject. Formal acknowledgment will doubtless be made of General Pearson's petition, but the relief he asks for cannot be granted, in view of the determination already reached.

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION

Buffalo, N. Y., May 1st to Nov. 1st, 1901.

The Herald's Free Trip Voting Contest

This is One Vote

FOR

Name .....

Write or stamp name of your favorite and mail or send to the VOTING DEPARTMENT, PORTSMOUTH HERALD. Last vote must be in this office at 7 30 P. M. June 5th.

A ROYAL PRISONER.

Maurice De Saxe, formerly Duke of Courland, is one of the most interesting characters in the play A Royal Prisoner, which will be presented by Mr. James at Music hall very soon. Maurice De Saxe was a distant cousin to the Empress Elizabeth of Russia, and in childhood they had stood near each other whispering words of childish love. Fate had separated them and it was not until many years after she saw him again. When Elizabeth first ascended to the throne, the duke, in the meantime, had joined issue with the French army and had captured many provinces of Russia and was looked upon by his allies as heir to the throne. Elizabeth eventually suppressed the French army, capturing the duke, and had him thrown into prison. His escape was effected by a young lieutenant named Alexander Razoumovski, prisoner in the same fortress, but after serious complications had arisen and Razoumovski was in peril of losing his life through the escape of the duke, the duke delivered himself up and was afterwards released without banishment or punishment, and for this he swore allegiance to the throne. History does not record him as giving the throne any further trouble.

WITH THE THEATRICAL FOLK.

The Girl From Maxim's closed at Dover on April 20.

Buffalo Bill and his Wild West show will be in Boston the Middle of June.

Eva Westcott has joined The Village Postmaster for the summer run in Chicago.

Daniel Frohman sailed for Europe last Tuesday, and will remain abroad all summer.

Mrs. Sarah Cowell Le Moyne is seriously contemplating appearing as Lady Macbeth next season.

John Dunsmure, basso of The Bostonians, is preparing himself for grand opera, which field he will enter after next season.

Ada Rehan sailed for the other side last Wednesday. She will spend the summer in Ireland, returning here to star next season.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are among the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham for the week ending May 1st, as recorded in the register of deeds:

Portsmouth—Joseph W. Marden to Charles F. Frothingham, land and buildings on Sparhawk street, $1; Edward S. Downs, to Grace E. Downs, land off South street, $1; administratrix of Timothy Manson, Eliot, Me., to James I. Haley land and building, corner Daniel and Mulberry streets, $2,525; City to Jethro H. Swett, Kittery, Me., land on Woodbury avenue, $300; other land, $395; land on Dennett street, $110; Joseph H. and Arthur W. Walker to Ruth A. Wendell, two lots on South road, $1; William J. Ladd, Milton, Mass., et als., to George T. Vaughan, land and store on Market street, $1.

Exeter—Howard B. Cole, Haverhill, Mass., to Helen G. Smith, land on High street, $1; Sanborn & Wadleigh to Patrick L. and Annie E. Murphy, the Smith pasture, $1.

Greenland—John H. Brackett, to Margaret Smith, Portsmouth, land and buildings, $1; James C. Simpson to Nancy S. Badger, Newington, lands and buildings in Greenland and Newington, $1.

Newfields—Ellen T. Smith, Metuchen, N. J., to Lyford Conner, Exeter, pasture and woodland, $260; town to last grantor, land, $56.02, deeded in 1895; John C. Hanson, collector, to last grantee, land, $22.64

Newington—Isaiah H. Allard, Portsmouth, to Sadie Pace, Greenland, land and buildings, $1.

Hampton—Mary R. Thyng, Exeter, to Charles W. Leavitt, salt marsh, $1; J. Francis Child, Marlborough, Mass., to Edna T. Sumner, Haverhill, Mass., land and buildings, $2100, deeded in 1890.

North Hampton—Lucy E. Caswell to Benjamin F. Simpson, both of Rye, land and buildings, $1.

There was no police court this forenoon.

KITTERY.

At the regular meeting of E. G. Parker post, No. 39, G. A. R., the following committees were appointed for Memorial day:

On program—C. L. Hayes, M. A. Safford, C. N. Holmes.

On band music—J. H. Swett, C. N. Holmes.

On church music—George H. Hayes, D. M. Shapleigh, H. C. Keen.

On monument decorations—L. S. Goodrick, D. W. Marden, John Glover.

On speaker—Charles Lavour.

On church decorations—George Damon, D. W. Marden, H. W. Trefethen.

On flagging graves at Orchard Grove cemetery—L. S Goodrich, D. W. Marden, John Glover.

At Intervene—J. W. Brown, I. H. M. Pray.

At Kittery Point—Frank E. Lawry, Asa Wilson, Charles L. Favour.

At Kittery Depot—H. B. Parker, W. T. Carr.

At Navy Yard—John Glover, M. O. Stimson.

At Spruce Creek—D. M. Shapleigh, John Lambert.

At Eliot—Joseph H. Dixon, John McKinney, Albert Hanscom.

At York—Charles Banks, D. A. Stevens.

It was voted to extend invitations to Storer Post, G. A. R., Kearsarge Naval Veterans and the U. V. U. of Portsmouth to participate with this post Memorial day.

Invitations are also extended to the town officers of Kittery, W. R. corps, all the Sabbath schools and the several beneficial orders in the town.

The fair given under the auspices of the scholars of the Kittery High school opened last evening in Wentworth hall. The hall was crowded, many people being present from Portsmouth and Kittery Point. The entertainment consisted of the prize speaking contest and the program was as follows:

Piano duet, Misses Milliken and Stevens
Asleep at the Switch, Jessie M. Randall
On the Rappahanock, Maude E. Pray
Jerry and Me, Ethel M. Mitchell
The Clothesline Telegraph, Guy L. Langton
The American Flag, Arthur C. Staples
The Dying Newsboy, N. Ellery Emery
A Warning, Cora I. Milliken
Kate Ketchem, Ella M. Bennett
Our Nation's Loss, Wesley E. Grogan
The Jolly Pedagogue, Fred N. Pray
The New Church Organ, Nellie M. Stevens
Rufus Rawlin's Ride, Abbie M. Grace
The Whistling Regiment, J. Irine Wentworth
The Inquisitive Customer, Charles H. Hubbard
Tommy's Prayer, Bertha D. Hanson
The Boy of the Arctic, Ernest R. Call

The judges in the contest were Professor Knapp of Portsmouth, Miss Warner of North Hampton and Mr. C. C. Smith of Kittery. The first prizes were awarded to Miss Jessie Wentworth and Wesley Grogan, the second prizes to Miss Bertha Hanson and Guy Langton. The candy table was in charge of Miss Maude Pray and the the fancy work table by Miss Grace E. Ball and Mrs. E. E. Otis.

All women, residents in South Berwick, North Berwick, Berwick, York, Salmon Falls and Kittery who are interested in forming a "Federated Woman's Club," are invited to meet at Mrs. Burleigh's, South Berwick, May 10, at four o'clock. Address by Miss Rowe, president of Massachusetts State Federation.

Among the recent appointments by Governor Hill are Charles C. Smith of Kittery, notary public and Charles R. Littlefield of Kennebunk and William S. Mathews of Berwick justices of the peace and quorum.

George Kimball left this morning for New London, Conn., to work in the shipyards.

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PAN-AMERICAN CONTEST

Ninth Week of the Voting Closed This Afternoon.

Mr. Hanscom Has an Addition to His Figures Today.

How the List Looks on Account of the Voting for the Day.

The ninth week of the voting contest is at a close today. The list stands as it did on Friday, with one exception, Mr. Hanscom having an addition to his figures in the list.

Several new contestants are promised for the list very soon with substantial figures for a start. One of these is said to be a young lady, who will strive for a free trip to Buffalo, where the big exposition is already attracting the attention of the world.

The list today stands as follows:

John F. Leary, A. O. H.,	2140
Charles D. Varrell, Sagamore S F. E. Co.	1358
Harold N. Hett, Portsmouth Bicycle club,	1261
Dennis J. Lynch, Kearsarge Engine Co.,	973
Charles W. Hanscom, K.G.E.	911
Col. John P. Tibbetts, Gen. Gilman Marston command, U. V. U.,	842
William S. Fernald, Chemical Engine Co. No. 5,	759
Edwin F. Rowe, Warner club	82
Charles H. Kehoe, M. H. Goodrich Co,	56
John Ham, W. J. Sampson, H. & L. Co.	21
Fred Manson, M. H. Goodrich Co.,	17
W. J. Kehoe, P. C. C.,	16
Capt. Horace E. Peverly, Co. B, N. H. N. G.,	12
John A. Harmon, assistant engineer, P. F. D.	12
George Jones, Kearsarge Engine Co.	7

The conditions of the contest are as follows, a most liberal offer:

The Portsmouth *Herald* agrees to send three residents of Portsmouth, who are either members of the Portsmouth fire department, a social club or of some secret society, to the Pan-American exposition, pay all their expenses from the time they leave, until they return, including a week in Buffalo, with board and lodging and admission to the exposition daily.

This offer beats anything ever announced by any newspaper in New England, and is so far above the expense and interest of a trip to the national inauguration that it cannot be mentioned in the same class.

The contest will not be restricted to gentlemen but will be open to any lady who is a member of the various secret societies or auxiliary societies in Portsmouth.

The trip will include stop over privileges en route and returning and first class accomodations will be provided. In order that every detail of the grand tour may be properly looked after, the publishers will either send an agent in advance or with the party to make arrangements.

Everybody knows that the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo is to be grander and greater in every way than the World's fair and the visit will be the event of a lifetime.

The contest opened on Monday, March 4, when the first ballot appeared and which will appear daily until June 1, next, the last ballot to appear on the latter date, and the three persons having the greatest number of votes will have the grand privilege that has been offered. The last ballots must be received at the *Herald* office by 7.30 p. m., on Wednesday June 5, and the results of the contest will be announced at the earliest possible date.

This is an opportunity never before equalled in this section of the country and well worth the attention of everyone eligible for such a trip. Vote early and vote often. Elect yourself.

SHUDDERS AT HIS PAST.

"I recall now with horror," says Mail Carrier Burnett Mann, of Levanna, O., "my three years of suffering from Kidney trouble. I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. To stoop or lift mail sacks made me groan. I felt tired, worn out, about ready to give up, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man." They're unrivaled to regulate Stomach, Kidneys and Bowels. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by the Globe Grocery Co. Only 50 cents.

Miss Gerry, a Portsmouth stenographer, has reported in full the evidence in the more important cases of the term.—Exeter Gazette.

WEATHER—CROP SERVICE.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Bulletin for New England.

The following is a statement of the weather and crop conditions of New England compiled from reports of correspondents throughout the section:

There has been a general improvement in the matters pertaining to corps, and to farming in the northern states. Except in the mountains, the snow has disappeared, and frost has left the ground. Plowing has progressed, except where too wet. Grass and winter grain have improved, and considerable work, preparatory to plowing, seeding and planting, has been accomplished. The season for this portion of the section is about the average. But for the southern states of New England the season has made no progress; it is reported as a week to a fortnight late, farming and spring work backward, and crops are much retarded.

Of all the farm products, grass has made the most improvement, and, at the present time, promises an abundant yield. Fields, meadows and pastures are becoming green in the most northerly portions, and stock has been turned to pasture as far north as portions of New Hampshire and Vermont.

There is little to report in connection with the cereal crops. Winter grain is improving slowly and in good condition. Oats have been sown in a few instances in Connecticut, and are doing well.

So far as can be determined, fruit buds are in good condition and the outlook promising to a crop. While no bloom has appeared the buds are beginning to unfold in some of the southern sections of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. In the vicinity of Middletown, Conn., current and raspberry canes were considerably winter killed.

The planting of garden vegetables has progressed slowly, but the weather has been too cool and wet for general field planting. In parts of Rhode Island and Connecticut early peas, lettuce and radishes are up, and in a few instances, early planted potatoes have rotted in the ground.

GROW UP WITH THE TOWN.

Many successful men are those who are designated as having "grown up with the town." Let your boys and girls grow up with "Heraldville," the town printed in colors, to be cut out and set up, and they will always be happy and industrious. "Heraldville," the greatest feature for children ever published, was issued April 28th, in "Fun," the new colored supplement of The Boston Sunday Herald. Fun is charmingly printed in colors, and is beautifully illustrated by the best artists It is replete with clever stories and pungent wit. A catchy song, with handsomely designed colored title page, adds to the attractive features of "Fun." This new departure on the part of The Herald will be welcomed with pleasure by its hundreds of thousands of readers. "Fun," the new colored supplement, is equal to the best published comic weeklies, and The Herald's past record as a newspaper of genuine worth is sufficient guarantee of its merit.

LITTLE TOMMY'S APPETITE.

Its Condition After Wrestling With a Turkey Dinner.

It was the tenth anniversary of The Clarion's first appearance. For a long time the publisher had worked hard, overcoming many discouraging conditions, to place the paper on a paying basis. Besides acting as general manager, editor in chief and copy reader the publisher at times served as superintendent of the distributing room, where five carrier boys got their papers Now, at the end of ten years, The Clarion was a power in the staid old town of 8,000, and the publisher, a philosopher of no mean caliber, was a happy man.

Having at one time served as "devil" in a western newspaper office and worked his way up the ladder by degrees, the publisher was quick to appreciate the condition of all his employees He figured that a faithful carrier boy had considerable to do with a paper's success, and he had full consideration for the humblest of those on his pay roll. He had come to regard his five carriers as premiers in their class.

How would he celebrate the paper's successful arrival at the ten year post? He figured out a number of schemes, but he finally decided that turkeys for the married men and a big supper for the carrier boys and "devil" should be the means of celebration.

The boys worked faster on their routes the afternoon before the state occasion supper, returning to the office between 5:30 and 6 o'clock. A few minutes after 6 o'clock the publisher marched at the head of an irregular column of six lads to the best restaurant in town. He had arranged beforehand with the eating house proprietor for the most bountiful repast that possibly could be served. A table was reserved for the youngsters. It had received special attention from the restaurant owner. A clean cloth was put on it, and in the center of it a great marble cake, frosted with cupids and rosebuds, towered high on one of those old fashioned cake stands.

"There's nothing too good for the kids today," said the publisher as he watched the boys to their places.

"'Tain't often, I guess, they get turkey and the like," said the eating house proprietor, who leaned on the cigar case.

"Give them all they can stand," said the publisher, "and by all means don't let that little chap on the end be overlooked. He doesn't look big enough to get away with a wing of turkey, but I'll bet he keeps up with the general pace all right. That cake seems to have awed him by its grandeur. He's been used to cookies, you know, and not many of those, either."

The publisher perched himself on a stool near the cigar case, getting a good view of the banquet table in the mirror. The restaurant man told the waiter to look after the lads properly and sat on his desk stool behind the cigar case.

The meal was opened with oyster soup. Then came turkey smothered in cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, string beans, cauliflower, celery and olives.

"The little chap is a wonder," said the publisher in a low tone. "He is distancing the others on the sweet potatoes. He does not know there is anybody else in the place."

"I'd give $2 if I could enjoy a meal that way," said the restaurant man. "And he's good for plenty more yet."

"I wonder where he puts it all!" laughed the publisher.

The ice cream and cake were eaten with apparently as much relish as the more substantial food which had preceded them to the six surprised little stomachs. After the nuts and candy had been passed around the publisher sauntered back to the stable.

"Boys, if there is anything more you want," he said, "I wish you would speak right out for it. The whole shop's yours if your stomachs will hold it."

Tommy Cummings, the "little chap," moved nervously. The movement carried significance to the publisher.

"Can't you stand for something more, Tommy?"

"I wouldn't mind another plate of soup," said the boy, with a slight show of embarrassment.—Exchange.

THE COOKBOOK.

Greasing the inside, round the top, of the basin or saucepan in which you are boiling sugar or molasses for candy, frosting, etc., will prevent it from boiling over.

Cold meat sliced can be made very acceptable by dipping in beaten egg, then in fine cracker crumbs and fried in hot fat. The covering prevents the meat from drying up.

A variation of the old fashioned baked apple is to pare and core one dozen large apples, fill with sugar and a little butter and nutmeg, put in the oven, and when done remove to a flat dish. Ice top and sides with cake icing and stand away to get cold.

STATE LINES.

Iowa claims to have more banks and larger bank deposits than ever before in her history.

Tennessee by a new law forbids the employment of children under 14 years in mines, factories and workshops.

A new inheritance tax law in Minnesota avoids the unconstitutional features of the old law by providing for a tax on both real and personal property. The rate is 5 per cent on collateral and 1 per cent on direct inheritances, with an exemption of $5,000.

PORTSMOUTH'S SECRET AND SOCIAL SOCIETIES.

WHEN AND WHERE THEY MEET.

A Guide for Visitors and Members.

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Meets at Hall, Peirce Block, High St., Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month.

Officers—Charles E. Oliver, P. C.; Willis B. Mathes, N. C.; Robert M. Herrick, V. C.; Frank E. Abbott, H. P.; William H. Hempshire, V. H.; Fred Gardner, K. of E.; Charles W. Hanscom, C. of E.; Samuel R. Gardner, M. of R.; George P. Knight, S. H.

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For Wells Beach, 9 55 a m, 2 45, 5 22 p m. Sunday, 8 30 a m.

For Old Orchard and Portland, 9 55 a m, 2 45, 5 22 p m. Sunday, 8 30 a m.

North Conway, 9 55 a m, 2 45 p m.

For Somersworth, 4 50, 9 45, 9 55, a m 2 40, 2 45, 5 22, 5 30 p m.

For Rochester, 9 45, 9 55 a m, 2 40, 2 45 5 22, 5 30 p m.

For Dover, 4 50, 9 45 a m, 12 20, 2 40, 5 22, 8 52 p m. Sunday, 8 30, 10 48 a m, 8 57 p m.

For North Hampton and Hampton, 7 20, 8 15, 10 53 a m, 5 00 p m. Sunday, 8 00 a m, 5 00 p m.

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Leave Portland, 2 00, 9 00 a m, 12 45, 6 00 p m. Sunday, 2 00 a m, 12 45 p m.

Leave North Conway, 7 25 a m, 4 15 p m.

Leave Rochester, 7 19, 9 47 a m, 3 50, 6 25 p m. Sunday, 7 00 a m

Leave Somersworth 6 35, 7 32, 10 00 a m, 4 05, 6 39 p m.

Leave Dover, 6 50, 10 24 a m, 1 40, 4 30, 6 30, 9 25 p m. Sunday, 7 30 a m, 9 25 p m.

Leave Hampton, 9 22, 11 53 a m, 2 13 4 59, 6 16 p m. Sunday, 6 26, 10 06 a m, 8 09 p m.

Leave North Hampton, 9 28, 11 59 a m, 2 19, 5 05, 6 21 p m. Sunday, 6 30, 10 12 a m, 8 15 p m.

Leave Greenland, 9 35 a m, 12 05, 2 25, 5 11, 6 27 p m. Sunday, 6 35, 10 18 a m, 8 20 p m.

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Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:

Portsmouth, 8 30 a m, 12 45, 5 25 p m.
Greenland Village, 8 39 a m, 12 54, 5 33 p m
Rockingham Junction, 9 07 a m, 1 07 5 58 p m.
Epping, 9 22 a m, 1 21, 6 14 p m.
Raymond, 9 32 a m, 1 32, 6 25 p m.

Returning leave
Concord, 7 45, 10 25 a m, 3 30 p m.
Manchester, 8 30, 11 10 a m, 4 20 p m.
Raymond, 9 10, 11 48 a m, 5 02 p m.
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Rev. L. H. Thayer, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00 M. Young people's meeting at 6:45 P. M. Vesper service at 7:30. All are welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. George W. Gile, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00 M. Prayer meetings Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:45 P. M. All are invited.

FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Robert L. Duston, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30. Prayer and social meeting Friday evening.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Court street, Rev. F. H. Gardiner, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 Y. P. S. C. E. meeting on Tuesday evening and prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

OLD ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Church hill, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, rector. Sunday, at 10:30 A. M., morning prayer, litany and sermon. Holy communion, first Sunday in every month and the greater festivals, 12:00 M. Holy days, 8:30 A. M. Evensong, Sundays, 3:00 P. M. Fridays, Ember days, in chapel at 5:00 P. M. Parish Sunday school in chapel at 3:00 P. M. At the evensong service, both in church and chapel, the seats are free. At all the services strangers are cordially welcomed and provided for.

CHRIST CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Madison street, head of Austin street, Rev. Charles LeV. Brine, rector. On Sundays, holy communion at 7:30, matins or holy communion at 10:30 A. M., Sunday school at 12:00 M., evensong at 7:30 P. M. On week days, matins (daily) at 9:00 A. M., evensong (daily) at 5:00, on Friday, evensong at 7:30 P. M., holy communion, Thursday at 7:30 A. M. On holy days, holy communion at 7:30, matins at 9:00 A. M., evensong at 7:30 P. M. Seats free and unappropriated. Good music. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

State street, Rev. Thomas Whiteside, pastor. Morning prayer at 10:00. Preaching service at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—UNIVERSALIST.

Pleasant street, corner Junkins avenue. Rev. George E. Leighton, pastor. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Administration of the holy sacrament the first Sunday in the month at 11:45 A. M. Good music. Y. P. C. U. meetings every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the vestry. Strangers are especially welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Sunday school at 12:00 M. All are invited.

ADVENT CHURCH.

C. M. Seamans, pastor. Social service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Prayer service at 7:15 P. M. All are invited.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Rev. Patrick J. Finnegan, pastor. Services at 8:30 and 10:30 A. M. Vespers at 3:00 P. M.

PEOPLE'S CHURCH.

Rev. R. L. Harris, pastor. Service from 11 to 12 every Sunday morning. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Praise meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching at 8 P. M. Young people's meeting on Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Cottage meetings on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services, which are free to all.

Y. M. C. A.

William Frederic Hoehn, general secretary. Association rooms open from 9:00 to 9:30 P. M. Men's meeting, Sundays, at 3:30 P. M. All are welcome.

SALVATION ARMY.

Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 7:30 A. M. Holiness meeting at 10:00 A. M. Free and easy at 3:00 P. M. Salvation meeting at 8:00 P. M.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev E. D. Andrews, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Evening service at 7:00. All are cordially invited.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. Elbridge Gerry, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 M. Prayer meeting at 7:00 P. M.

SECOND CHRISTIAN CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. Mr. Hall, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:00 P. M. All are welcome

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.

Rev Geo W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Prayer meeting at 11:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:00 and 7 P. M. All are welcome.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.

Rev Elbridge Gerry, pastor. Sunday school at 1:00 P. M. Preaching at 2:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7.30 P. M.

WANT ANOTHER ISLAND

It Commands Eastern End of Panama Canal.

RECONNOITERED BY GERMANY.

United States Naval Officers Find the Kaiser's Ships Busy and Report to Washington—Monroe Doctrine May Be Invoked—Fine Harbor.

Washington, May 3.—Although the matter never has figured before the state department, the navy department has been closely watching the happenings near Margarita island, off the coast of Venezuela, which have given rise to the report that a German coaling station is to be established there. The facts have been reported to the department by some of the United States naval officers who commanded vessels which have cruised in those waters recently.

Last year a German warship spent ten weeks in looking into the possibilities of Margarita island, and this fact led to an examination on account of the United States which developed the presence on this important strategic point of one of the finest harbors in South America, the possession of which would give the United States or any other nation with a navy practical control of the Panama canal from the eastern side.

Aside from this island some of the best naval authorities hold that the gulf of Cariaco, on the north coast of Venezuela, offers by far the most advantageous site for an American coaling station if one is to be located in that part of the world. In view of the reported German surveys in that quarter, the naval authorities here are showing unusual interest in the points available for American use. The state department never has been called upon specifically to construe the Monroe doctrine so far as it might relate to the attempt by a European government to secure a coaling station in the gulf of Mexico or the Caribbean sea.

Railroad Strike at Dover, N. J.

Dover, N. J., May 3.—Three hundred men employed by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad in the cripple shops at Dover left their work yesterday afternoon. Superintendent McKenna had suspended one of the men for six days as a punishment for staying away from work without permission. The other men sent a committee to ask for his reinstatement. The superintendent told the committee that the request could only be granted by Superintendent Canfield at Scranton, and the strike followed.

The Plague In Cape Colony.

London, May 3.—Sir Walter F. Hely-Hutchinson, the governor of Cape Colony, has wired to the colonial secretary, Mr. Chamberlain, that the total number of deaths due to the bubonic plague up to April 27 was 217. This number includes 41 Europeans. If the cases at Mafeking that have the symptoms of the plague are embodied in the report, the total number of cases would be 519, including 135 Europeans.

Coler to Retire From Politics.

New York, May 3.—The Herald says: "It is announced in Wall street that Comptroller Bird S. Coler would retire from politics at the end of his present term of office to become the head of an important trust company at a salary said to be $40,000 a year. When seen at his home last night, Mr. Coler declined to either confirm or deny the report of his retirement from the political field."

Killed by Foul Gases In Well.

Bath, N. Y., May 3.—Foul gases at the bottom of a 30 foot well caused the deaths of Frank Pook and his 18-year-old son near Wayland yesterday afternoon. Two neighbors who went to the rescue narrowly escaped a similar fate. The elder Pook descended to clean out the well. His son soon saw that something was wrong and went after him. Both bodies were recovered later.

Bryan on Reorganization.

Lincoln, Neb., May 3.—Mr. Bryan declares that the conditions prescribed by the reorganization element of the Democratic party are impossible. In today's Commoner he discusses this matter at length. He says that abandonment of the doctrines set forth in 1896 and 1900 will not only drive away many Democrats, but repel allies and keep young men away.

Six New Steamers Ordered.

Copenhagen, May 3.—The United Steamship company of this city has ordered six new steamers of 12,000 tons each for the United States trade. On account of the increase in American exports it has been decided to open a regular line to Boston and to increase the number of steamers on the New York and New Orleans routes.

Engineer Killed In His Cab.

Binghamton, N. Y., May 3.—F. M. Dowe, a Delaware, Lackawanna and Western engineer, was instantly killed in the roundhouse at Hallstead. He had his head out of the cab window as he was pulling in, and it was wedged between the cab window and the masonry of the entrance arch and crushed.

The Plague In Turkey.

Constantinople, May 3.—A case of illness has occurred at Galata, the largest suburb of Constantinople, which is officially pronounced to be bubonic plague. Precautions are being taken to prevent a spread of the plague.

Victoria's Birthday Legal Holiday.

Ottawa, May 3.—The bill making the 24th of May, the late Queen Victoria's birthday, a permanent holiday was passed in the house of commons. It will be called Victoria day.

MADE A MILLION.

Arthur Orr's Fortunate Purchase of Union Pacific Stock.

Chicago, May 3.—More than $1,000,000 clear profit on the stock of one railroad through holding it for a rise is the fortune a Chicago capitalist has made as the result of the boom in securities. Arthur Orr is the man who has made $1,000,000 by waiting and Union Pacific is what brought him this amount. He had 10,000 shares.

Mr. Orr bought these shares three years ago around 20 and is selling a part at 131, the price to which it rose on the New York Exchange yesterday. His entire original investment was $200,000. At the rate of 5 per cent interest for holding it three years $30,000 may be added. At 131 the block of 10,000 shares is worth $1,310,000. The profit on the stock is $1,080,000.

Martinelli Takes Oath.

Washington, May 3.—Cardinal Martinelli has taken the oath of his new office and subscribed to the profession of faith at the papal legation. The oath was administered by Mgr. Conaty of the Catholic university and witnessed by Mgr. Marchetti, the papal ablegate. The ceremony was private and extremely simple. Among the provisions of the oath are pledges on the part of the cardinal that he will not resign his office, that he will not canvass for any one in the election of a new pope and that he will maintain the right of the sovereign pontiff to exercise temporal power.

Lightning Shocks Fourteen.

Chicago, May 3.—A dozen people were severely shocked and two were injured by a bolt of lightning which struck the tower on the Ozark apartment building at Thirty-fifth street and Wabash avenue last night. Exactly eight years ago last night this building suffered from a similar accident. Last night's bolt, after demolishing the tower, ran down the electric light wires leading to the fourth floor, where it entered the flat occupied by Dr. Anna Wells. Mrs. Wells and her companion, Mrs. C. M. Shafer, were thrown to the floor and rendered unconscious by the shock.

The Eastman Murder Trial.

Cambridge, Mass., May 3.—Although the larger portion of the proceedings at the Eastman murder trial yesterday was taken up in unimportant expert testimony on powder stains on clothing and alloys of lead in bullets, there were one or two witnesses who proved to be the most important in the trial. By far the most important witness of the day was the aged and decrepit mother of the dead man, who tottered feebly into the court and gave an instance where Eastman looked toward her son and said, "His days are short." This was a little over a week before the tragedy.

Fires at His Initiators.

Nyack, N. Y., May 3.—Norman Hemingway, from Kansas City, who has been living in Rockland county for several months, was initiated in the lodge of Odd Fellows at Spring Valley. During part of the ceremony W. R. Sherwood, an officer of the lodge, acted in a stern manner and rushed toward Hemingway, intending it as a joke. Hemingway thought Sherwood was in earnest and pulled out and fired a revolver. The powder burned Sherwood's face, but the bullet missed him. There was great excitement in the lodge, and the incident broke up the meeting.

Mayor McGuire to Resign.

Syracuse, May 3.—"I have decided to resign as chairman of the executive committee of the Democratic state committee," Mayor James K. McGuire announces. "I will tender my resignation at the next meeting of the committee." The mayor has returned from a nine weeks' trip through the west, where he went for his health. After his present term as mayor he says that he will devote himself to private business interests.

British War Loan Allotment.

London, May 3.—In the house of commons Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, announced that £30,000,000 of the new £60,000,000 war loan had been allotted. Of this amount £11,000,000 would go to the Rothschild syndicate, £10,000,000 to J. S. Morgan & Co. and £5,000,000 to the Bank of England.

Philippine Customs Receipts.

Washington, May 3.—The customs revenues in the Philippine Islands for the month of January, 1901, as compared with the same months of 1899 and 1900 were as follows: January, 1901, $708,685; January, 1899, $321,158; January, 1900, $390,277.

Fire in Loudonville, O.

Loudonville, O., May 3.—A fire which broke out in the American House livery barn last night caused a loss of $75,000. The losses are partly covered by insurance. The fire was started by the upsetting of a lantern in the hay loft of the livery barn.

Torpedo Boat Barney Fast.

Bath, Me., May 3.—The torpedo boat Barney, built at the Bath Iron works, on her preliminary trial trip made 29.3 knots, which is a remarkable speed, the contract requirements being but 25 knots per hour.

Record Price For Exchange Seat.

New York, May 3.—The sale of a seat is recorded on the New York Stock Exchange for $70,000 compared with the previous highest authentic record of $66,000.

Moroccan Army Defeated.

London, May 3.—A dispatch from Tangier says the Shereefian army was recently defeated by rebels in the Sus district and took refuge in Timinit.

Weather Forecast.

Fair; brisk southwesterly winds, shifting to northwesterly.

PRESIDENT'S PROGRESS

McKinley's Train Enters Lone Star State.

GOOD TIME IN NEW ORLEANS.

Day Well Spent In Viewing Historic and Romantic Spots In Old French and Spanish Quarter—Throngs of People Greet the Party.

New Orleans, May 3.—The day spent in New Orleans will live long in the memory of the president and of the members of his party. In no other city in the United States is the old and romantic preserved and placed in such sharp contrast with the modern as in the Crescent City, and yesterday as the presidential party drove through the flower embroidered city from the new into the old French and Spanish quarter it was like passing mysteriously from America into a foreign land, from this century into another that has gone. And the illusion of the transition was heightened by the interesting ceremonies which occurred in the old Cabildo, the seat of the government of the former Spanish and French rulers, which is yet preserved in its original integrity by the Louisiana Historical society.

The weather could not have been fairer. A strong sun blazed from a cloudless sky, but the heat was tempered by a light breeze from the river. The foliage was all a tender green, and along St. Charles avenue, out which the party drove behind a clattering squadron of cavalry, flowers, flags and pretty women in gay raiment formed a mist of color. Roses were everywhere, climbing up the pillared porticoes and creeping over trellises and mingling their perfume with that of the magnolias, while the public squares thrilled with songs of semitropical birds. The entire population apparently was out to see the chief magistrate.

After a short visit to the Southern university, where a thousand colored students greeted the president with waving bits of colored bunting so arranged as to make the whole American flag and where the president made a brief speech, the party passed across Canal and Rampart streets, the boundaries of the new city, into the old town, with its narrow streets, its quaint galleried residences, its cathedrals, old Spanish buildings and French market, all with the flavor of another generation and all now unfortunately going into picturesque decay.

There was a striking picture when the party drew up before the moldering Cabildo, over 150 years old, which is situated opposite what is now called Jackson square, but which in the old days was the Place d'Armes. Around the entire streets the balconies were thronged, and down in the square was a crush of people. Many races were represented, but the foreigners were mostly French and Italians. Those on the outer edges of the crowd stood with their faces pressed against the high iron railing which incloses the park. Many people were perched in the trees.

Old Days Recalled.

At the close of the speechmaking the president appeared upon the balcony to show himself to the waiting thousands outside. The cadets below presented arms, and the square and the buildings surrounding it fluttered with handkerchiefs and flags, while the air was torn by the hoarse roar of the shouts of the multitude. The president made an impressive figure as he stood there waiting for the cheering to subside. He acknowledged the demonstration with a bow and spoke as follows:

"My fellow citizens, I have great honor in standing on this historic ground to receive the greetings of my country and to recall the fact that here nearly 100 years ago a great scene was enacted that dedicated a larger area than the original 13 states to liberty and union forever."

The party then returned to the hotel for luncheon and in the afternoon embarked on a Mississippi river steamboat for a trip along the river front from Audubon park to the historic battlefield of Chalmette, where the monument erected in memory of the defeat of Packenham by General Jackson commands a view of the river.

The women of the party had remained quietly in the hotel during the ceremonies of the morning, only a few of them taking a ride around the city, but they took part in the river trip and enjoyed it.

At 6 o'clock the presidential special resumed its long journey to the Pacific coast.

Government Arsenals Abolished.

Washington, May 3.—Secretary Root yesterday issued an order abolishing the following arsenals: Kennebec, Augusta, Me.; Fort Monroe, Va.; Allegheny, Pa.; Indianapolis and Columbia, Tenn. The property at these arsenals will be disposed of by the several staff departments, and the men serving at them will be assigned to duty elsewhere. It is stated at the department that with increased transportation facilities a large number of arsenals are not needed.

Planning Monster Steel Mill.

Wheeling, May 3.—The directors of the American Sheet Steel company have authorized improvements at the Etna Standard plant, at Bridgeport, O., that will make it the greatest sheet mill in the world. The plant, which now employs about 3,500 men, will be doubled in size.

To Build East River Bridge.

New York, May 3.—The New York East river bridge commissioner has awarded the contract for constructing the steel suspension on the bridge to the Pennsylvania Steel company. The bid was $1,123,000.

BILL OF THE PLAY.

Gillette has, it is said, earned $40,000 this season.

Miss Horton Barter, a Frisco blind girl, is to go on the stage.

The latest biograph pictures show the decapitation of a number of Boxers in China.

An American company will play "Way Down East" and "Lovers' Lane" in Australia.

Wilson Barrett charges for his autograph $1.62. Mrs. Langtry exacts 62 cents for every signature.

It is said that Emile Poulsen, a Danish actor, will make a professional tour of America next season.

Sarah Bernhardt has invited Elsie De Wolfe to occupy her theater in Paris, and the American actress has accepted.

An opera of Sullivan's utterly unknown here, entitled "The Beauty Stone," has been accepted for performance at the Central theater, Berlin.

When Ada Rehan learned recently that her pet dog would not be admitted to the hotel at Waterbury, Conn., she chartered a special train and slept at Hartford.

Richard Mansfield has produced only three dramas in Shakespeare, but the success which he has made in them has earned for him the title of the "foremost Shakespearean actor on the American stage."

The province of Quebec, which is not included in the various circuits, is going to build up a national drama. It is proposed to offer an annual prize of $600 for the best play written by a resident of the province.

THE REVIEWER.

Frederic Harrison, the English publicist, says the United States has come out cleanest and best from the Chinese imbroglio.—Kansas City Star.

Korea will inflict the death penalty on all smokers of opium. This is probably the oriental idea of enforcing the smoke ordinance.—Denver Republican.

A French professor claims to have found the cause of dreams in the veins of the closed eyelids. If you would avoid dreams, sleep with your eyes open.—Denver Post.

The Washington fire department says the White House is a fire trap. But no difficulty is anticipated in securing another tenant when Mr. McKinley's lease expires.—Baltimore News.

It seems to have been proved that finer tea can be grown in the United States than in the east. But little good will the news do with the American tea selling for $1 a pound.—Boston Journal.

It is said that 25 per cent of the working classes of Germany are either idle or insufficiently employed. It is time that Germany fixed upon some definite commercial and industrial policy.—Boston Globe.

France thinks it is cheaper to build than to pay rent and has bought 70,000 square feet of land in Washington on which to erect a sumptuous embassy building, to be the home of her diplomatic officer to the United States.—Boston Herald.

THE CYNIC.

The chances are ten to one that the other fellow knows you are lying.

When two dogs meet, there is always a prospect of a fight. Don't act like a dog.

Be bold enough to say, "I don't know," and if you can screw your courage up to it add, "and I don't care."

Half the comfort we get out of the idea of heaven is the belief that some one we dislike will never get there.

Do you start out in the morning and make yourself a bore and a nuisance all day long? So many people do it that it is worth while for every man to look himself over.

When a man complains because his meals are not ready on time, his wife blames the woman caller who staid so long and whom she followed clear to the front gate begging her not to go so soon.—Atchison Globe.

A GENTLEMAN WILL NOT--

Stare at a woman while in a street car.

Continually boast of his journeys to the old world.

Pick pieces of candy from the trays in a confectioner's.

Hold a woman's hand in greeting longer than one second.

Make his individuality painfully conspicuous in a mixed company.

Brush against persons as though their presence was an offense.

Insist upon every one he meets listening to his alleged funny stories.

Read aloud while others are trying to find out what the newspapers contain.

Explain the plot of a play to his companion so that others in the theater audience can hear him.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

It would be a great relief to the president if he could procure a mechanical arm that would raise his hat during his transcontinental trip.—Pittsburg Times.

If President McKinley does the handsome thing by the porters while making the railway journey from one end to the other of this broad land, he won't find it far from tip to tip.—Boston Herald.

Kansas City is going to give President McKinley such a reception that all the other stopping places on his itinerary will prove but dim and fading memories by comparison with it.—Kansas City Times.

COMMISSION RETURNS.

Will Reach Manila Today After Eight Weeks' Tour.

BATANGAS PROVINCE ORGANIZED.

Filipino Editor Appointed Governor. Civil Government Instituted In Sorsogon With American Officers—End of Captain Reed's Trial Near.

Manila, May 3.—The evidence for the defense in the trial of Captain James C. Reed, former depot commissary in Manila, charged with soliciting and receiving bribes and other official misconduct, has been submitted. It generally is believed the court will find Reed guilty. It again is reported that Cailles soon will surrender. The remnants of Tinio's army are surrendering.

A score of insurrectionists fired into the town of Batangas Wednesday night. No casualties were reported. The few outlaws remaining in the province have been nearly pacified.

The commission has established a government in Sorsegon, at the southern end of the island of Luzon, and has appointed Captain J. G. Livingston of New York governor and Captain E. W. Terry of the Forty-seventh regiment treasurer. The conditions in Sorsegon are regarded as admirable.

The commission touched at Marinduque Wednesday and fulfilled the pledge made that if the insurgents surrendered municipalities would be organized and a separate provisional government would be established. Captain Brandholdt was a candidate for governor, but a native was appointed.

The commission will return to Manila today after an eight weeks' successful tour.

Felix Roxas, editor of the Democracia, a daily organ of the Federalists in Batangas, has been appointed governor of the province of Batangas. Lieutenant R. D. Blanchard of the Thirty-eighth volunteer infantry was appointed treasurer.

Whole Villages Starving.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—Distressing accounts are arriving here of the situation of the villagers throughout Bessarabia, especially in the Soroki district, caused by the famine arising from the failure of the last harvest. The peasants are living on husks of maize boiled in water. Half of them are suffering with typhus fever. They are clad in rags and have no furniture or other household necessities. Horses and sheep have decreased from 50 to 60 per cent owing to lack of forage. In some villages horses are sold at a ruble each. Elsewhere 70 per cent of the farmers have lost all their horses.

Rogers Works Bring $650,000.

Newark, N. J., May 3.—Application for an order confirming the sale of the Rogers Locomotive works in Paterson has been made in chancery here by Pennington & Beam, counsel for the receivers, Colonel William H. Barbour and John H. Pennington. The sale was made to Smith & Halloran of New York for $650,000. Vice Chancellor Emery refused to confirm the sale until all the stockholders can have notice of the transaction. For this, he said, six days would be necessary.

Convicted of Killing Professor White

Philadelphia, May 3.—Amos Sterling, colored, has been convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of Roy Wilson White, the young University of Pennsylvania professor. Professor White was beaten to death with an iron bar on a street in West Philadelphia on May 19 last and afterward robbed. Two other negroes, Henry Ivory and Charles Perry, have also been convicted and are under sentence to be hanged for complicity in the murder.

Workmen to Be Knighted.

Rome, May 3.—The Capitan Fracassa of this city announces that King Victor Emmanuel will sign a decree on a Sunday creating a new order, to be known as the Order of the Knights of Labor, which will be conferred on citizens, including workmen distinguished in the study of labor questions or the amelioration of the condition of the laboring classes.

To Shut Down Window Glass Plants

Indianapolis, May 3.—As the result of a national conference of window glass interests held here it was decided to close down nearly all the factories in the United States on May 11 and to give all employees an advance in wages of 15 per cent. The conference was attended by representatives of all the co-operative glass factories in the country.

King as Railway Promoter

Brussels, May 3.—Le Petit Bleu announces that King Leopold intends to create a network of electric railways requiring a capital of 1,000,000 francs, to be constructed in the following order: Brussels to Antwerp, Brussels to Ostend and Brussels to Paris. According to the same authority, the consent of the French government has been secured.

Islam Crusade Begun.

Constantinople, May 3.—The Turkish mission, under Enver Pasha, composed of military officers and clergy charged with the establishment of relations between Turks and the Chinese Mussulmans, has embarked. The delay in the departure of the mission was due to Russian opposition. The scheme is favored by Germany.

Notorious Burglar Released.

Rochester, May 3.—Byron Day, the notorious all round burglar, who has spent fully 56 years of his life in different prisons in the United States, has been released on his own recognizance by Judge Sutherland in the county court.

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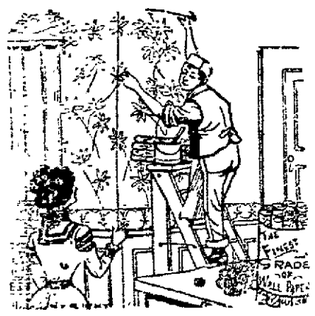

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When Martha steps across a bar, as I have seen her do,
Displays a dainty ankle, or perhaps it may be two,
What shall I do if Martha dear coquettishly should say,
"Oh, Mr. Poet, please don't look, but turn the other way?"

Then what if to perversity my being so inclined
I strongly wish to follow up the dictates of my mind?
For I want to be obedient to Martha's wish, perchance
I also have a wish myself to not resist a glance.

When Martha steps that way again, I know what I will do
To satisfy myself and, more, to please dear Martha, too;
I'll simply gaze a moment, then determined to obey,
I'll bend my will to Martha's with, and turn the other way!

FRANK H. MELOON, JR.

CITY BRIEFS

There is a brisk local demand for the new Pan-American stamps.

The lawn mower has already responded to the call of duty.

Judge S. W. Emery took the oath of office as water commissioner at the city hall on Friday.

Portsmouth has experienced some regular old New England weather within the past few days.

"Now good digestion waits on appetite, and health on both." If it doesn't, try Burdock Blood Bitters.

On sale at the Globe Grocery Co., Saturday, 21 Sweet Oranges for 25 cents and Fancy Navels 25 cents a dozen.

County Commissioners Ceylon Spinney, John H. Griffin and Joseph R. Rowe held a meeting on Friday at the county court house.

Diphtheria, sore throat, croup. Instant relief, permanent cure. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. At any drug store.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will open its rummage sale Wednesday, May 8, at ten o'clock; in the store on Daniel street, formerly occupied by Harmon Bros.

Pimples, blotches and all other spring troubles are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla—the most effective of all spring medicines.

It was Rev. Mr. Evans and not Rev T. V. Haines, who officiated at the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah E. Dearborn at the Congregational church in North Hampton on Thursday.

"Cure the cough and save the life" Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, down to the very verge of consumption.

Two excursions are to be run to the Pan-American exposition, under the auspices of the New Hampshire state grange, one starting the last of June, and the other the second week in October.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly, and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Lenhart, Bowling Green, O.

The preparations for the coming social concert and dance by Oak Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, on May 17, go merrily on and will undoubtedly result in one of the finest affairs of the kind, of the year.

A brisk demand for the Pan-American stamps is reported from all the postoffices at which they have been placed on sale. Portsmouth collectors have remarked on how well "centered" the stamps of the new issues are.

A special meeting of the Woman's Relief corps will be held at three o'clock this Saturday afternoon, for the purpose of transacting business pertaining to its coming anniversary. The regular meeting of Wednesday, May 8th, will be held in the afternoon instead of the evening, as usual.

A general order has been issued to railway mail clerks calling attention to a complaint of the director general of posts of the Philippines that mail for the province of Quebec abbreviated as P. Q., often is missent to the Philippines, whose abbreviation is P. I., and that mail for Manville, R. I., is missent to Manila. Instructions for greater vigilance are given.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will open their Rummage Sale on Wednesday, May 8th, at ten o'clock, in the store on Daniel street formerly occupied by Harmon Bros. Any persons having donations for the same will kindly send to the store any time after 7:30 o'clock; if to be called for please notify by postal Mrs. J. H. Grover, 35 Austin street, or Mrs. C. L. Simpson, 5 State street.

Take a Tonic

Take a safe tonic. Purely vegetable. Cannot harm children or adults. Take True's Elixir, the TRUE TONIC. Builds up "run down" children or adults. Makes new, rich blood. Corrects irregularities of stomach and bowels. Three generations have used and blessed True's Elixir. 35 cents a bottle. At your druggist.

Write for free copy "Children and their Diseases." DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.

TRUE'S ELIXIR

Memorial day orators are polishing up their orations and spending long hours in rehearsing.

Special sale on Saturday at the Globe Grocery Co. of 2600 pounds of Fowls at 12 1 2 cents a pound. Saturday only.

Sheriff Marcus M. Collis on Friday took Martin Tohan to Concord to begin his prison sentence, and also took Samuel Meek in the industrial school, where he is to remain during minority.

At the special town meeting held at Hampton Falls it was unanimously voted to accept the gift of the Christian chapel for a library building from John T. Brown of Newburyport, Mass.

The body of Moses Leighton, which has been in the receiving tomb, since the funeral services, was sent to Biddeford, Me., this afternoon, for interment in the family lot there. Biddeford was the native place of Mr. Laighton.

Frank Brewster of Stratham, while working on the cupola of a barn at Exeter, fell a distance of forty feet to the ground, but fortunately escaped with no worse injuries than the breaking of a bone in the shoulder, which was like-wise dislocated.

No appointment has been made as yet to fill the office of state deputy of the Knights of Columbus of New Hampshire. It is understood that a deadlock exists between the members of the committee who were appointed at the last convention to fill all vacancies.

The Exeter, Hampton and Amesbury Street Railway company has leased for ten years, unfurnished, the commodious hotel just completed at Hampton beach by Mrs. Emma Wightman of Newmarket. The building is piped for lighting by acetylene gas, but its new managers will install a system of electric lights.

At the Advent Christian church on Hanover street tomorrow the pastor will give the fifth in a series of discourses on the seven churches of Asia. This will be "The Church of Sardis." Service at 2 45 p. m., social service at 10 30 a. m., Sunday school at 12 m, children's meeting at 6 p. m., followed by evening gospel service at 7.15. All are invited to these services.

The White Sand Oil Company, organized, managed and endorsed by Cleveland Bankers and Business Men. Fifty producing oil wells insuring an income of one per cent. monthly. Will pay three per cent. as development progresses in its Penn., Ohio and W. Va., oil fields. No experiment. One hundred wells yet to drill sure of oil. Limited number shares, par value $1.00 each, now offered at 25 cents per share. Will be worth $3.00 in a year. Write for particulars and prospectus. Cleveland Finance Company, Fiscal Agents, 121 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

HARBOR FRONT NEWS.

Arrived, May 4—Tug Mars, Philadelphia, barge Juniata, do.

Sailed, May 4—Schooner Clara B. Kennard, Boston; Herbert M. Rogers, Plum Island.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. John S. Rand has returned from an extended visit to her son, Arthur H. Rand, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles P. Berry and little son Frank, left this week for Wolfeboro, to pass the season at their summer home.

A. G. Munro, who has been employed at Green's drug store, has secured a similar position in Portland, Me. Mr. Munro left on Friday morning for Canada and Montreal on a short vacation.

A Few Words about

Pain-Killer

A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James H. Dixon, Rector St. Judes and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to send you a few lines to strongly recommend PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

Pain-Killer A sure cure for Sore Throat, Coughs, Chills, Cramps, &c.

Two Sizes, 25c. and 50c.

There is only one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis.'

MADE HIS ESCAPE.

Fred Harrison Still at Large, After His Bold Break.

There was an interesting result of police court on Friday morning, when Samuel Cates was arraigned and held in the sum of $400 for the October term of the superior court. In default of bail he was sent to jail, where he later he was visited by his counsel, George F. Parker, the city marshal and Railroad Detective Maloney, and to them he confessed that he had purchased metal from Fred O. Harrison, an employe of the B. & M. road.

A warrant was sworn out for Harrison's arrest and Officer McCaffery found the man at the roundhouse. On the way to the police station Harrison asked the officer to allow him to go home to change his clothes. His request was granted and while the officer was waiting downstairs, Harrison jumped from a second story window and escaped.

Harrison is still at large, although it is only a question of time before he will be located. He has previously had a good reputation and was known as being industrious.

PLEASANT AFFAIR.

Fannie A. Gardiner Rebekah Lodge Commemorates Its First Anniversary.

Fannie A. Gardiner Rebekah lodge celebrated the first anniversary of the organization of the lodge. The officers of the lodge received and welcomed their guests from half-past eight until nine, following which a programme of music and readings was rendered, the affair concluding with a banquet, to which every guest did full justice.

Music was furnished by Joy and Philbrick's orchestra. The following was the programme:

Selection,	Orchestra
Reading,	Miss Frothingham
Italian Duet,	Misses Johannson and Goodwin
Hoop Drill,	Six Young Ladies
Selection,	Orchestra
Vocal Solo,	Miss Goodwin
Reading,	Miss Frothingham

OLD SOLDIER'S EXPERIENCE

M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health. They always do. Try them. Only 25c at Globe Grocery Co.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

One of the most pleasant gatherings of little folks that has occurred in Portsmouth for a long time took place on Friday afternoon, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robinson, Gardner street, when their three years' old daughter celebrated her birthday anniversary. The company enjoyed themselves greatly, with games and dancing, and a nice supper was served. The little hostess received a large number of pretty and useful presents. All the guests, when they departed, left behind the sincere hope that she might see many more such anniversaries.

SEE THE ANNOUNCEMENT

— OF —

THE HERALD.

A Free Trip

— TO THE —

Pan-American Exposition

GOES TO HARTFORD.

Joseph S. Stackpole, who for the past five years has been employed in the clothing store of John Griffin on Congress street, will leave tomorrow (Sunday) for Hartford, Conn., where he has obtained an excellent position. Mr Stackpole is one of our best known and most popular young men; he is a member of the Portsmouth Yacht club, a well known basket ball player, and has been very prominent in Portsmouth social circles. He has many friends in this city who sincerely regret his departure, and who wish him the best of success in his new position.

A NOTABLE FAMILY GATHERING.

Henry E. Urch of Joliet, John C. Urch of New Lenox and Mr. and Mrs George M. Urch and two children of Blue Island, Illinois, are visiting Mrs. Maria Sherman Urch, who is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hammond Spinney, at South Eliot, at which place the visitors were met by David Urch of this city, Ephraim Urch, Mary A. Spinney and Rose A. Spinney of Eliot and Mrs. A. M. Tucker of Melrose, Mass. All of the people mentioned above are children and grandchildren of the aged invalid.

The *Herald* has all the latest news.

OBITUARY

Lewis Bruce.

The death occurred on Thursday morning at the home of his son, No. 49 Lincoln avenue, Marblehead, of Lewis Bruce, a former resident of this city, after an illness of several weeks, at the age of eighty-four years, one month and four days.

The deceased was born in this city, the son of the late Lewis Bruce, who for many years kept the toll-gate at the Portsmouth and Newcastle bridges.

He left this city for Boston in 1865, previous to which time he had for many years a paint shop in the building on Market street now owned and occupied by Benjamin F. Mugridge, and carried on an extensive business as house, ship and sign painter.

One of the first jobs Mr. Bruce was engaged on was painting the Susannah Cumming, built by the late George Raynes in 1831 for Ichabod Goodwin, Samuel E Cones and others The Susannah Cumming measured 544 tons, and was the largest merchant vessel ever built on the Piscataqua river up to that time.

Mr. Bruce formerly served in the Portsmouth fire department as a member of engine company No. 2. All the engines were then hauled by hand, and two's company numbered fifty men.

Later he was in business in Hamilton, Ontario, for a number of years, afterwards in Boston and Winchester, where he retired from active work about fifteen years ago, and in the latter place resided for many years.

In early life he married Sarah A. Mugridge, daughter of the late John H. Mugridge, whose death occurred many years ago; the five children of this union survive him: Mary S. Bruce, Mrs. Charles Kimball of Winchester, Fred A. Bruce of Marblehead, Dr. T. Kitson Bruce of New York and Lewis Bruce of Boston.

His second marriage was to Margaret, daughter of the late Capt. Thomas Kitson of this city; her death occurred several years ago.

The deceased was remarkably active until the past two years, when his health failed.

He was a regular attendant of the Unitarian church when a resident of Portsmouth, and well and favorably known here, which place he enjoyed visiting in the summer and renewing acquaintances of former days. A man of sterling qualities, honored and respected by all who knew him.

His funeral will be held at ten o'clock this Saturday morning from the home of his son, Fred A. Bruce, No. 49 Lincoln avenue, Marblehead, Mass.

The remains will arrive in this city on the noon train today, when interment will take place in the family burial plot at the South cemetery.

For Over Fifty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for children teething. It soothes the child softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. twenty-five cents a bottle.

LAW IS OBEYED.

No Trouble in Hampton About the Vaccination Laws.

A letter recently received by the Hampton schoolboard from Dr. Irving A. Watson, secretary of the State board of health, stated that the board had been informed that the laws requiring the vaccination of school children was not being enforced in Hampton, and that many children were attending the public schools who have never been vaccinated. The letter closed with a request that the law be fully inforced.

This week the school board served formal notice at all the schools, and the edict has properly met with compliance, without serious interruption to the regular work of the school.

Regarding this matter a widely published dispatch did grave injustice to Dr. M. F. Smith. He denied making the statement attributed to him, and avers that he is not attempting to thwart the laws of the State, which he believes should meet with full observance.

TANGIN

is no cureall—it only cures the ailments of a weary woman

TWO PORTSMOUTH SEPARATIONS.

List of Divorces Granted at Exeter Made Public.

At the April term of the superior court, which closed on Friday, Justices Stone and Young granted the following divorces:

Fanny E. Pevear, Hampton Falls, from Horace S. Pevear, habitual drunkenness; Mary V. Pike, Epping, from William H. Pike, habitual drunkenness; Margaret I. Knight, Portsmouth, from George E. Knight, abandonment; Hattie M. Rogers, Exeter, from Alfred E. Rogers, abandonment; Dora A. Sweeney, Deerfield, from Isaac Sweeney, habitual drunkenness; Minnie C. Eaton, Raymond, from William A. Eaton, adultery; Alida B. Purington, Exeter, from Henry F. Purington, extreme cruelty; Annie A. Smith, Hampstead, from Fred A. Smith, abandonment; Gertrude A. Neal, Portsmouth, from Henry C. Neal, abandonment; Fred L Gove, Epping, from Leona B. Gove, adultery; Emily L Webster, Derry, from Charles H. Webster, extreme cruelty; John F. Dow, Seabrook, from Ella H. Dow, adultery; Flora McCuish, Exeter, from Daniel McCuish, habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty.

MASONIC ELECTION.

At a meeting of the Ineffable Grand Lodge of Perfection, held on Friday evening, the following officers were elected:

T. P. G. M., Horace A. Massey;
D. G. M., Fred B. Coleman;
V. S. G. W., John Hatch;
V. J. G. W., Fred M. Stacy;
G. O., Frank J. Philbrick;
Grand Treasurer, Frank L. Pryer;
Grand Secretary, James A. Rand;
M. of C., Chauncey B. Hoyt;
G. H., Charles S. Rand;
C. of G., William E. Storer;
Grand Tyler R. H. Hall.

WHIST PARTY.

The whist party, Friday evening, under the auspices of Chemical Engine Co., No. 5, was largely attended and very interesting. The prizes were awarded as follows: First, John S. Parker, bag of sugar, valued at $1.50; second, Jacob Dobbs, five pounds of butter; third, George Collis, ten pounds of lard; fourth, John Dudley, peck of beans; fifth, Fred Knowles, leg of lamb; sixth, Arthur Dares, two pounds of coffee; booby, J. Wallace Lear, scrubbing brush.

The tournaments to be held Wednesday and Friday evenings of next week will conclude the series of firemen's whist parties for the present season.

NOTICE.

The investigating committee kindly requests the people who have entered the sewer during the past year to leave their names with the city clerk before the fifteenth day of this month.

PER ORDER OF CHAIRMAN.

ANOTHER SWINDLE.

A new and altogether different scheme to defraud the public has been tried on some business men in this city. A letter purporting to come from a lawyer in Philadelphia and a printed slip inside, announced that he had been appointed trustee in bankruptcy of a deceased Philadelphia man's business, and that he finds a claim of $3 53 against the man receiving the letter. At first it was thought a mistake had been made, but after sending back for particulars, getting no answer it then dawns upon the receiver that he is being victimized.

Starving Americans

In speaking of food problems, the N. Y. Tribune says:

"For the scientist the answer is an easy one. The people are starved. With food in plenty, they throw away all that makes the muscle, bone, sinew, teeth, hair, even brain, and in their barrel of snow-white triple-x best family flour they retain only the starchy elements that supply the body with heat. The bolting cloth is likely to become the shroud of the proud American race. * * * * The conclusion was reached that in Shredded Wheat there exists a staple in which not one single value is lost, but all are preserved in harmonious union."

If you want to know all about naturally organized food, drop postal to The Shredded Wheat Co., Worcester, Mass, for their 150 page, beautifully illustrated book, "The Vital Question."

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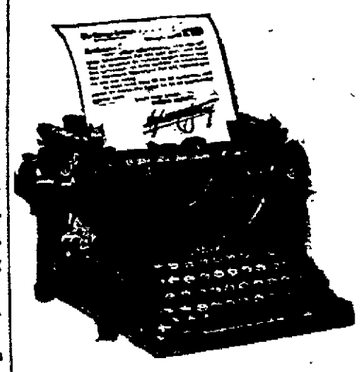

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